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For: "Method for Producing Local Aluminide Coating"

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Dear Sir/Madam:

I am enclosing herewith a copy of a corrected application data sheet, which shows a corrected spelling for the Assignee of the above-cited patent application. Also, by this letter I am requesting you to change the docket number assigned to the above-cited patent application to: 9256-24. Please remove all reference to the number 36696/153236.

If you have any questions or comments, please call me. Thank you for your efforts.

Very truly yours,

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